

Question 1..... 5 points

Prove or disprove that:

(a) [1 point]  $n(n+1)/2 \in O(n^2)$  correct

$$\frac{n(n+1)}{2} = \frac{n^2 + n}{2} = \frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2} \leq n^2 \quad \forall n \geq 1$$

by using polynomial theorem  $C = 1$   $n_0 = 1$

$$(b) [1 point] n(n+1)/2 \in \Omega(n^2)$$

$$= \frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2} \geq \frac{1}{4} n^2$$

by using polynomial theorem

$$n_0 = \left\lceil \frac{\frac{1}{2} - C}{\frac{1}{4} - C} \right\rceil \quad C = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2} \geq \frac{1}{4} n^2 \quad \forall n \geq 2$$

$$n_0 = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{4}{2} = 2$$

$$C = \frac{1}{4} \quad n_0 = 2 \quad \text{correct}$$

(c) [1 point]  $n(n+1)/2 \in \Theta(n^2)$ from previous Q<sub>a,b</sub> we can

$$\text{see that } C_1 = \frac{1}{4} \quad C_2 = 1 \quad \max(n_0[1,2]) = 2$$

$$n_0 = 2$$

Correct

(d) [1 point]  $n(n+1)/2 \in o(n^2)$ 

uncorrect

by definition of small- $o$  All constants  $C > 0$  should accept  $o(n^2)$

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$$\frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2} < n^2 \quad \text{when } C = 1 \quad n = 1$$

$$1 \neq 1$$

$$\text{so } \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \notin o(n^2)$$

→ (c) [1 point]  $n(n+1)/2 \in \omega(n)$

by definition small - w All constants should accept the  $\omega(n)$  and this is true

$$\frac{n^2}{2} + \frac{n}{2} > n \quad \forall n \geq 1 \quad \forall c > 0$$

correct ✓

Question 2.....4 points

For each of the following functions, indicate the class  $\Theta(g(n))$  the function belongs to. Use the simplest  $g(n)$  possible in your answers.

(a) [1 point]  $f(n) = (n^2 + 1)^{10}$

$$f(n) \in \Theta(n^{20})$$

(b) [1 point]  $f(n) = 2n \log(n+2)^2 + (n+2)^2 \log(\frac{n}{2})$

$$f(n) = 4n \log(n+2) + (n^2 + 4n + 4)(\log n - \log 2)$$

$$f(n) = 4n \log(n+2) + n^2 \log n + 4n \log n + 4 \log n$$

$$f(n) \in \Theta(n^2 \log n)$$

(c) [1 point]  $f(n) = \sqrt{10n^2 + 7n + 3}$

$$f(n) \in \Theta(n)$$

(d) [1 point]  $f(n) = \log^2(n) \cdot \log(n^2)$

$$f(n) \in \Theta(\log^3(n))$$

Question 3.....2 points  
Solve the following recurrence relation by using the backward substitution method.

$$\begin{cases} T(n) = 3T(n/5) + n & \text{for } n > 1 \\ T(1) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$T(n) = 3T(n/5) + n$$

$$T(n) = 3 \left[ 3T\left(\frac{n}{5^2}\right) + \frac{n}{5} \right] + n$$

$$T(n) = 3^2 T\left(\frac{n}{5^2}\right) + \frac{3}{5}n + n$$

$$= 3^2 \left[ 3T\left(\frac{n}{5^3}\right) + \frac{n}{5^2} \right] + \frac{3}{5}n + n$$

$$= 3^3 T\left(\frac{n}{5^3}\right) + \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^2 n + \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)n + n$$

⋮

after k step  $T(n) = 3^k T\left(\frac{n}{5^k}\right) + \sum_{i=0}^{k-1} \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^i n$

$$\frac{n}{5^k} = 1$$

$$k = \log_5 n$$

$$T\left(\frac{n}{5^k}\right) = 0$$

$$= 3^k T\left(\frac{n}{5^k}\right) + n \left( \frac{1 - \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^k}{1 - \frac{3}{5}} \right)$$

$$= 3^k \cdot T\left(\frac{n}{5^k}\right) + \frac{5}{2}n \left( 1 - \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^k \right)$$

$$\leq \frac{5}{2}n \in O(n)$$

Question 4.....4 points  
Consider the following algorithm.

**Algorithm 1 Unknown**( $A[0..n-1]$ )     ▷ Input: An array  $A[0..n-1]$  of  $n$  real numbers

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1: minval ← A[0] → 1
2: maxval ← A[0] → 1
3: for i ← 1, n-1 do → n
4:   if A[i] < minval then → n-1
5:     minval ← A[i] → n-1
6:   end if
7:   if A[i] > maxval then → n-1
8:     maxval ← A[i] → n-1
9:   end if
10: end for
11: return maxval - minval → 1
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$$f(n) = 5n - 1$$

(a) [1 point] What does this algorithm compute?

↑  
maximum =  
minimum  
this algorithm determines the max value  
in the array and minimum value of  
the array and return the  
difference between them  
 $\text{max val} - \text{min val}$

(b) [1 point] What is its basic operation?

the comparison in step 4  
and step 7 ✓



(c) [2 points] Give the best-case and worst-case time complexities of this algorithm in asymptotic notation.

here the best-case  
and the worst-case are  
the same

$$f(n) = 5n - 1 \leq 5n \quad \forall n \geq 1$$

$$C = 5 \quad n_0 = 1$$

$(5n - 1) \in O(n)$  in worst case  
and best case

Question 5.....6 points

Consider the following recursive algorithm for computing the sum of the first  $n$  squares of integers:  $S(n) = 1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + n^2$ .

Algorithm 2  $S(n)$  ▷ Input: A positive integer  $n$  ▷ Output: the sum of the first  $n$  squares

1: if  $n = 1$  then  $\rightarrow 1$   
2: return 1  $\rightarrow 1$   
3: else  
4: return  $S(n-1) + n * n \rightarrow T(n-1) + 2$   
5: end if  $\downarrow \downarrow$

(a) [ $\frac{1}{2}$  point] What is the algorithm's basic operation?

the basic operation here  
is the summation and multiplication  
step 4  $\leftarrow$  Arithmetic

- (b) [2 points] Set up and solve a recurrence relation for the number of times the algorithm's basic operation is executed.

$$\begin{aligned} T(n) &= T(n-1) + 2 \\ &= [T(n-2) + 2] + 2 \\ &= [T(n-3) + 2] + 2 + 2 \end{aligned}$$

after k step :

$$T(n) = T(n-k) + 2k$$

$$T(n) = 2 + 2(n-1) = 2n \in O(n)$$

- (c) [2 points] Give a pseudocode of a non-recursive version of this algorithm.

procedure m(n)  
S ← 0

for i = 1..n do  
    S ← S + i \* i  
end for  
return S

$$0 + 1 \times 1 + 2 \times 2 + \dots + n \times n$$

- (d) [1/2 point] What is the worst-case time complexity of the algorithm in (c)?

the worst time complexity  
is  $O(n)$ .

- (e) [1 point] What is the suitable algorithm for computing  $S(n)$  (recursive or non-recursive)? Justify your answer.

both algorithms give us same time complexity but the recursive one ~~are~~ take more space complexity than non recursive

Question 6...../ points

- (a) [3 points] Describe an algorithm that takes a list of  $n$  positive integers and finds the location of the last even integer in the list. It returns 0 if there are no even integers in the list.

we can set the last <sup>index</sup> ~~element~~ in the list and put it in a variable and check the value at index  $n$  in ~~for~~ recursive or non recursive as for loop and the loop stop when ~~we find~~ the condition is true and return the index in the array  
Linear search from last

- (b) [1 point] Give the best-case and worst-case time complexities of your algorithm in asymptotic notation. Show all details.

the best-case is when the last index is even  $\rightarrow \in O(1)$

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1 قبل 2  
2 قبل 1

the worst-case is when the first index or there is no even in the list

$\rightarrow \in O(n)$

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Q6-a

Alg lastEven( $A[1 \dots n]$ )  
{

for  $I = n$  downto 1  
{

if ( $A[I] \bmod 2 = 0$ )

return  $I$

}

} return 0

Another solution

Alg lastEven( $A[1 \dots n]$ )  
{

$I = n$

while ( $I > 0$  and  $A[I] \bmod 2 \neq 0$ )

$I = I - 1$

if ( $I > 0$ )

return  $I$

else

return 0

}



#### Question 4

Prove/disprove each of the following by finding appropriate values for c and  $n_0$ .

- a)  $n(n+1)/2 = O(n^2)$  // ignore negative  
b)  $2n^3 - 10n^2 + 2 = \Omega(n^3)$ .

#### Question 5

For each of the following functions, indicate the class  $\Theta(g(n))$  the function belongs to. (Use the simplest  $g(n)$  possible in your answers.) Prove your assertions.

a.  $(n^2 + 1)^{10}$

b.  $\sqrt{10n^2 + 7n + 3}$

①  $(n^2 + 1)^{10} \leq (n^2 + n^2)^{10}$   
 $\leq (2n^2)^{10}$

$\leq 2^{10} \cdot (n^2)^{10}$

$\leq 2^{10} \cdot n^{20} \Rightarrow O(n^{20})$   
 $c_2 = 2^{10}, n_{02} = 1$

②  $(n^2 + 1)^{10} \geq (n^2)^{10}$

$\geq n^{20}$

$\Rightarrow \Omega(n^{20})$

$c_1 = 1, n_{01} = 1$

from ①, ②

$\therefore (n^2 + 1)^{10}$  is  $\Theta(n^{20})$

$c_1 = 1, c_2 = 2^{10}, n_0 = 1$

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@ it computes the sum of squares of first  $n$  integers

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$$S(n) = 1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + n^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n i^2$$

② The Basic operation  
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 is Multiplication

or multiplication and addition

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(d)  $\Theta(n)$

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$$S(n) = 1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + n^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

Data: A nonnegative integer  $n$

$$S \leftarrow n * (n+1) * (2*n+1) / 6$$

return 5

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Q8| Consider the following algorithm.

**Algorithm** *Secret*( $A[0..n-1]$ )

//Input: An array  $A[0..n-1]$  of  $n$  real numbers

$minval \leftarrow A[0]; \quad maxval \leftarrow A[0]$

for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n-1$  do

    if  $A[i] < minval$

$minval \leftarrow A[i]$

    if  $A[i] > maxval$

$maxval \leftarrow A[i]$

return  $maxval - minval$

solution

a. Computes the range, i.e., the difference between the array's largest and smallest elements.

b. An element comparison.

c.  $C(n) = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} 2 = 2(n-1).$

d.  $\Theta(n).$

e. An obvious improvement for some inputs (but not for the worst case) is to replace the two if-statements by the following one:

if  $A[i] < minval$   $minval \leftarrow A[i]$

else if  $A[i] > maxval$   $maxval \leftarrow A[i].$

Another improvement, both more subtle and substantial, is based on the observation that it is more efficient to update the minimum and maximum values seen so far not for each element but for a pair of two consecutive elements. If two such elements are compared with each other first, the updates will require only two more comparisons for the total of three comparisons per pair. Note that the same improvement can be obtained by a divide-and-conquer algorithm.



HW 1 - Q5-b

(i)  $\sqrt{10n^2 + 7n + 3}$

$$\leq \sqrt{10n^2 + 7n^2 + 3n^2}$$

$$\leq \sqrt{20n^2}$$

$$\leq \sqrt{20} \cdot \sqrt{n^2}$$

$$\leq \sqrt{20} \cdot n \Rightarrow O(n)$$

$$c_2 = \sqrt{20}, n_0 = 1$$

(ii)  $\sqrt{10n^2 + 7n + 3}$

$$\geq \sqrt{10n^2}$$

$$\geq \sqrt{10} \cdot \sqrt{n^2}$$

$$\geq \sqrt{10} \cdot n \Rightarrow \Omega(n)$$

$$c_1 = \sqrt{10}, n_0 = 1$$

from ①, ②

$$\therefore \sqrt{10n^2 + 7n + 3} \text{ is } \Theta(n)$$

$$c_1 = \sqrt{10}, c_2 = \sqrt{20}, n_0 = 1$$